

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

famous: well-known, legendary

twist: a braid made by weaving three or more strands of hair

custom: tradition, routine, old way of doing things

popular: well-liked, admired, in style

overnight: during the night, while sleeping

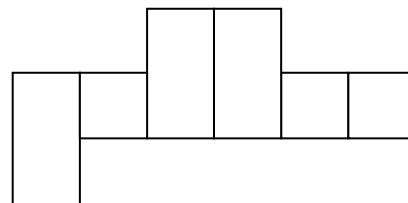
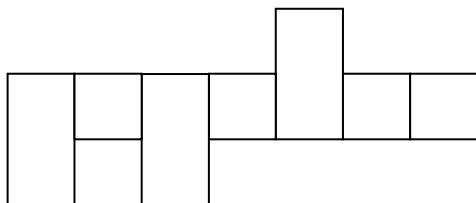
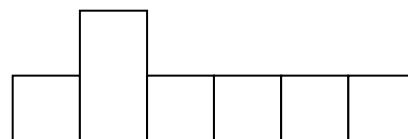
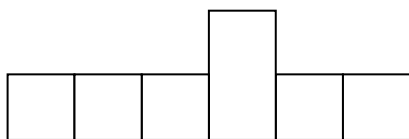
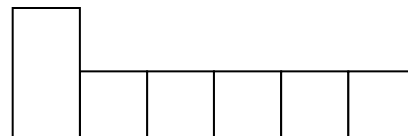
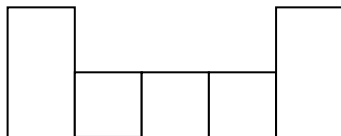
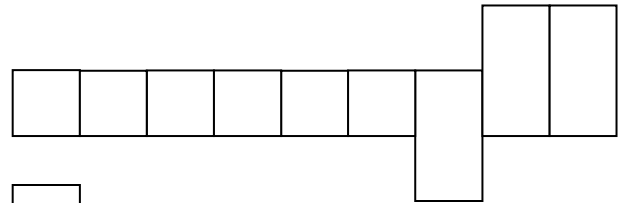
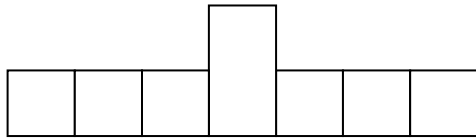
mention: talk about, point out

public: for everyone, community

admire: approve of, respect, be in awe of

## Configuration Station

Write the words from the word bank in the correct boxes.



twist	custom	popular	public
famous	admire	mention	overnight



# What's Missing?



Fill in the blanks with words from the word bank.

1. Badu was named for a \_\_\_\_\_ African warrior.
2. Mommy braided someone's hair into a Senegalese \_\_\_\_\_.
3. Sharing a large bowl of food on the floor is a \_\_\_\_\_.
4. Baseball is a \_\_\_\_\_ sport in Puerto Rico and New York.
5. Beans have to be soaked \_\_\_\_\_ to make them soft.
6. Eric likes to \_\_\_\_\_ that they enjoy dancing.
7. April goes to a \_\_\_\_\_ school and to a Chinese school.
8. The Chinese \_\_\_\_\_ older people for being wise.

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# Sentence Sense



Write a 6-8 word sentence for each pair of words below.

famous

twist

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popular

overnight

mention

public

admire

# Where Are the Words?

Find and circle all of the words from the word bank. Each word appears twice!

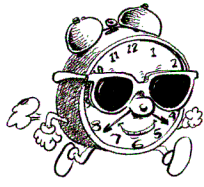
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twist  
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# Rhyme Time



Read each word and listen for the ending chunk. Find and paste three words that rhyme with each word.

twist	mention	admire

acquire	missed	tension
pension	attire	fist
wrist	invention	entire

# Order in the Court

Place the story words below in alphabetical order.

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

7. \_\_\_\_\_

8. \_\_\_\_\_

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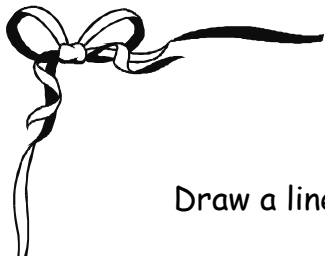
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# Clever Connector



Draw a line to connect the words that have the opposite meaning.

famous

disapprove

admire

conceal

public

unknown

mention

private



# Awesome Artist



Each family in the story has a popular  
custom from their parent's home country.

# Definition Derby



Read each word in the first column. Find the correct definition and write the matching letter next to the word (see sample). Write each word in a sentence.

Word		Sentence	Definition
1. famous	g	<i>Badu was named after a famous African warrior.</i>	a. tradition, routine, old way of doing things
2. twist			b. during the night, while sleeping
3. custom			c. for everyone, community
4. popular			d. talk about, point out
5. overnight			e. a braid made from weaving three or more strands of hair
6. mention			f. approve of, respect, be in awe of
7. public			g. well-known, legendary
8. admire			h. well liked, admired, in style



# Score With Scrabble!

SCORE

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